

FAVOR Upstate - Part Time HIV/HCV Prevention Specialist

Position and Job Title: *HIV/HCV Prevention Specialist*

Program: *FAVOR Upstate's HIV/HCV Prevention Outreach Services*

Immediate Supervisor/Title: *Director of HIV/HCV Outreach*

General Accountability and Job Description: *Under the supervision of the HIV/HCV Director, the Prevention Specialist will provide HIV/HCV counseling and testing services, education, and recovery support to necessary populations in FAVOR Upstate Counties.*

Hours: *20-30 hours/week. Specific times vary depending on program needs. Applicants must be flexible and willing to work nights and weekends.*

Wage and Compensation: *\$16/hr part time. No benefits. Wage increases and benefits possible as the program grows.*

Essential Functions of Position & Specific Duties:

- *Conduct rapid HIV/HCV counseling and testing to participants at risk for these infections.*
- *Conduct conventional HIV, Hepatitis B/C, Gonorrhea, Chlamydia and Syphilis counseling to clients at risk for these infections.*
- *Refer clients that test positive for HIV/HCV to medical care for treatment.*
- *Ability to perform Rapid HIV/HCV as listed in FAVOR Upstate and SC DHEC Bill of Lending manuals.*
- *Provide active referrals to community partners that provide services such as medical services, housing, food, clothing, financial assistance, mental health, and recovery support services.*
- *Must be able to work closely with a diverse community, i.e., Men who have sex with men (MSM), Transgender, and Injection Drug Users (IDU).*
- *Attend conferences/training as required and maintain current knowledge and skills of HIV/AIDS, STD, Hepatitis, risk reduction education, strength based counseling and motivational interviewing.*
- *Other duties as needed.*

Qualifications and Requirements:

- *Valid Drivers' License*
- *Reliable Transportation*
- *High School Diploma or GED mandatory, Associates Degree preferred*
- *The candidate must be actively engaged in his/her own recovery program with a minimum of 2 years demonstrated personal recovery.*
- *CPSS preferred, but willing to train if not.*
- *Basic Computer Skills required*
- *English/Spanish speaking and translation a plus*

- *Must possess good speaking, writing and listening skills with the ability to interact with the target population.*
- *Must be sensitive, respectful and able to communicate with diverse cultures, peoples of all sexual orientations/identifications and different races/ethnic groups.*
- *Strict Confidentiality must be adhered to with all participants.*

Service Location: FAVOR Upstate's Greenville Center and throughout the Upstate of SC

*Note: This description lists the minimum duty requests. Individuals may be asked to perform additional position duties as requested by their supervisor.

Interested candidates please submit resumes and inquiries to Adline Fuller @ adline@favorgreenville.org

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